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(54) RECORDING MEDIUM, RECORDER, **RECORDING METHOD AND COMPUTER PROGRAM**

(57) Abstract:

PROBLEM TO BE SOLVED: To provide a recording medium which can be reproduced by a conventional reproducing device and has data given copyingpreventing processing such as preventing copying of data by a copying machine recorded thereon.

SOLUTION: The recording medium is provided with a main data recording area having contents data to be contents in the case of reproduction recorded therein and a sub code recording area having a sub code including control data for controlling the contents data and content list data showing the list of contents concerning the control data recorded therein. The list of content shown by the content list data is different from the content of the control data. During reproduction by a prescribed reproducing device, contents data is reproducible. During copying by a prescribed copying machine, a read error is made to generate by the sub code to prohibit copying.

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